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From: Easterling, Deborah
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2011 10:34 AM
To: 'Bob Copeland'
Subject: RE: 2011-271-E

Dear Mr. Copeland,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your email to the Public Service Commission. I am forwarding your email to our Clerk's Office for processing. Your email will become a part of Docket No. 2011-271-E and will be posted on our website under this docket.

Please let me know if you should require any additional information.

Sincerely,

Deborah Easterling
Administrative Assistant

From: Bob Copeland [<mailto:hebercop@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, October 12, 2011 10:20 AM
To: Contact
Subject: 2011-271-E

I strongly object to the 17% increase being requested by Duke Energy. I am sick and tired of the public sector paying for business's investing our money so they can profit. I am 68 years old and living on Social Security. It seems like everyday someone is raising prices on something. Ex., yesterday it was peanuts and peanut butter. I know that is a petty thing but when every product we use daily goes up a10 cents it doesn't take long for it to be dollars. As you know we haven't had a pay raise and my savings are dwindling trying to keep up with all these increases.

I agree with the other 99% now is not the time and hopefully not in the next ten years for such an increase. I would be more content if they would decrease their rates to compensate for my lost income!

Thank you,

Robert W. Copeland
148 Boyd Road
Boiling Springs, SC 29316

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